## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for OMB/DFM Contract No. MJ1002000002 – Kent County Courthouse – Asbestos Abatement, will be received by the State of Delaware, Office of Management and Budget, Division of Facilities Management, in the reception area of the Facilities Management Office in the Thomas Collins Building, 540 S. DuPont Highway, Suite 1 (Third Floor), Dover, DE 19901 until 2:00 p.m. local time on Tuesday, May 10, 2011, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Conference Room. Bidder bears the risk of late delivery. Any bids received after the stated time will be returned unopened.

Project involves asbestos abatement in preparation for renovations to the Kent County Courthouse located in Dover, Delaware.

Attention is called to construction schedule as detailed in the Bid Documents.

A MANDATORY Pre-Bid Meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 19, 2011, at <u>6:30 a.m. SHARP</u> at the Kent County Courthouse, 38 The Green, Dover, Delaware, for the purpose of establishing the list of subcontractors and to answer questions. Representatives of each party to any Joint Venture must attend this meeting. ATTENDANCE OF THIS MEETING IS A PREREQUISITE FOR BIDDING ON THIS CONTRACT. This is a secure facility. The contractor's representative must be at the entrance door adjacent to The Green by 6:30 a.m. SHARP. Late representatives will not be admitted to the mandatory pre-bid meeting because the contractors must be escorted through the building. Cell phones are not permitted in the courthouse; however cameras will be allowed.

Sealed bids shall be addressed to the Division of Facilities Management, 540 S. DuPont Highway, Suite 1, Dover, DE 19901. The outer envelope should clearly indicate: "OMB/DFM CONTRACT MJ1002000002 – KENT COUNTY COURTHOUSE – ASBESTOS ABATEMENT - SEALED BID - DO NOT OPEN."

Contract documents may be obtained at the office of Compliance Environmental, Inc., 150 South Bradford Street, Dover, DE 19901, phone (302) 674-4427, upon receipt of \$100.00 per set/non-refundable. Checks are to be made payable to "Compliance Environmental, Inc."

Construction documents will be available for review at the following locations: Compliance Environmental, Inc., and the Delaware Contractors Association.

Minority Business Enterprises (MBE), Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE) and Women-Owned Business Enterprises (WBE) will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids on this contract and will not be subject to discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin or sex in consideration of this award. Each bid must be accompanied by a bid security equivalent to ten percent of the bid amount and all additive alternates. The successful bidder must post a performance bond and payment bond in a sum equal to 100 percent of the contract price upon execution of the contract. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities therein. The Owner may extend the time and place for the opening of the bids from that described in the advertisement, with not less than two calendar days notice by certified delivery, facsimile machine or other electronic means to those bidders receiving plans.

## END OF ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS